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In the Application of: Devarajan et al.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

SIR:

The Applicants submit the following corrected "Claim Amendments" section in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on November 21, 2003, the shortened statutory period for reply expiring on December 22, 2003 (December 21st being a Sunday).

While the Applicant unambiguously canceled claims 1-14 without prejudice to the underlying subject matter in the opening paragraph of the "Claim Amendments" section, the Examiner opines that the individual status of claims 1-14 cannot be identified.

Accordingly, the Applicant has added the status identifier "Canceled" to claims 1-14 to assist the Examiner in his determination of the status of these claims.